



## 90<sup>th</sup> Annual J. Rulon Miller Series

21 June – 23 June 2024

Hosted by GIYS & the Chesapeake Bay Star Fleet

### 1. RULES

The Regatta will be governed by the rules as defined in *The Racing Rules of Sailing* for 2021 - 2024 (“RRS”) and the rules of the International Star Class Racing Association (“STCR”) except as stated herein or in the Sailing Instructions.

- 1.1 RRS Appendix A 2.1 is modified/ “If five races are sailed, the worst score shall be excluded.”
- 1.2 Per RRS 63.7 “If there is any conflict between the Notice of Race and the Sailing Instructions, the Sailing Instructions shall apply.”

### 2. ENTRY DEADLINE

- 2.1 Entries must be received on, or before, June 16, 2024. Late entries are at the discretion of the Race Committee.
- 2.2 Entries shall be submitted online. [Click here](#)

### 3. ELIGIBILITY, ENTRY FEE & Social Activity Fees – CLICK HERE FOR [RACE DOCS](#) AND [ENTRY](#)

- 3.1 International Star Class One Designs holding valid Star Class Measurement Certificates are eligible.
- 3.2 The race entry fee is \$165.00. Payment must be made online no later than check-in on June 22<sup>st</sup>. Entry fee includes boat and trailer parking, launching, hauling. *The entry fee includes a Friday evening post rigging cook out and Saturday dinner for two. Additional tickets for Saturday dinner are \$65.00 per person. Fees for other food or drinks will be paid by individual credit card associated with a Gibson Island Guest Pass. Guest Passes may be obtained at the Gibson Island Harbor Master’s Office.*

### 4. SCHEDULE OF EVENTS

Friday, 21 June 2024	1400	Tentative Practice Starts in Magothy River
	1700	Registration
	1800	Barbecue
Saturday, 22 June 2023	0900	Skippers Meeting by hoist at GI Boat Works
	0930	Harbor Starts - Sail/Tow to racing area
	1100	Warning First race, subsequent races to follow
	1830	Cocktails/Dinner at the Gibson Island Clubhouse
Sunday, 23 June 2024	0900	Harbor Start
	1030	Warning First Race, subsequent races to follow - no warning after 1430 Awards after racing. Refreshments TBD

- Boats must be launched prior to 0900 on Saturday and remain in the water until after racing on Sunday. Any exceptions to this rule must be approved by the Race Committee

**5. INSURANCE**

Race participants must be adequately insured against third party liability for racing risks. Proof of same may be requested.

**6. SAILING INSTRUCTIONS**

The Sailing Instructions will be available through links on the event web site one week prior or at registration at 0800 on June 21, 2024. [CLICK HERE FOR RACE DOCS](#)

**7. RACING AREA**

The Chesapeake Bay east of Gibson Island, unless the location is changed based on weather conditions to the Magothy River.

**8. COURSES AND PROCEDURES**

Courses and procedures will be according to STCR 34 for the races on Saturday and Sunday.

**9. SCORING**

For the races on Saturday and Sunday, the Low Point Scoring System, RRS Appendix A is modified so that each series score will be the total of the races scored with the worst score excluded if more than four (4) races are completed. Five (5) races are scheduled, of which one (1) race shall be required to constitute a series.

**10. PRIZES**

Series prizes will be awarded to the skipper and crew finishing 1st through 3rd place. Recognition will be given for the 1<sup>st</sup> place boat in the Masters (skippers age 50 through 59), Grand Masters (skippers age 60 and above) and Novice Divisions and for the highest-placing older boat (hull numbers to 7300).

**11. CONTACTS**

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